

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Chaudhari et al.  
Serial No. : 10/813,709 Examiner : Saint Cyr  
Filed : March 31, 2004 Art Unit : 2626  
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING THE  
IDENTITY OF A USER BY NARROWING DOWN FROM  
USER GROUPS

HON. COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application.

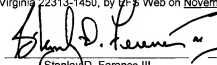
1.

Extension of Time

- ☒ No extension of time is needed.
- ☐ Applicant requests an extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. A Petition for an extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF EFS-WEB FILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being filed with the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, by EFS Web on November 19, 2008.

  
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November 19, 2008  
Date of Signature

2. **Submission Required Under 37 CFR 1.114**

- ☐ Previously submitted
- ☐ Please enter the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Enclosed
- ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_.

3. **Miscellaneous**

- ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_ months.
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_.

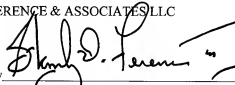
4. **Fees**

- ☐ Applicant encloses herewith a check for \$\_\_\_\_ to cover the RCE fee.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$810.00 RCE fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0510.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0510.

Respectfully submitted,

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By

  
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